







## LOCAL NEWS.

When the spring sun comes, gentle Anis,  
And the wild flowers blossom on the  
plain.  
The price tag on each will be less,  
And the bill will drive away the rain.

"Ain't it a sight!"  
—Next Monday is "April Fool"  
day.

—April with her showers will  
soon be with us again.

—ONE DAY Nickel Alarm  
Clock 25c at HICKMAN'S.

—The City Council will meet in  
regular session Monday night.

—Telephone poles are being  
erected throughout the city.

—The big revival will be con-  
tinued until next Tuesday night.

—A Hay Cabinet Clock, Oak  
or Walnut, \$2 at HICKMAN'S.

—Corn planting time is here, or  
very close at hand. Get your  
ground ready.

—The Pleasant Court for Fulton  
county will meet next Tuesday,  
April 2nd.

—If you want a good Team  
and Cheap Hinges, go to J. H.  
Peters Livery Stable and get it.

—The prospects for plenty of  
fruit in very favorable if it is not  
killed later on.

—The male pupils of Hickman  
College have formed an anti-sig-  
arette society.

—Humble sewed Jeans Pants  
95c. You can't duplicate them for  
\$1.25 SANDERS & RICE.

—Miss Irene Parrott, of Cleve-  
land, Ohio, is visiting her relatives  
in this city—the Amburge.

—The anglers will soon begin  
to ply their vocation if the weather  
continues to moderate.

—A line of beautiful French  
Briar Root Pipes, at 25c  
WILSON'S BOOK STORE.

—Messrs. Channing & Wright,  
licensees of the Hickman telephone  
system, are in the city this week.

—Mr. Will Browder, a worthy  
citizen of this county, living near  
Fulton, died last week of pneu-  
monia.

—It is a pleasure to ride be-  
hind a good horse and in a nice  
buggy. Go to J. H. Peters Livery  
Stable and get it.

—It is positively against our  
rules for any man to read copy in  
this office either before or after  
it has been set.

—Mrs. Angel, of Franklin, Ky.,  
who has been visiting the family  
of Mr. W. M. Walker, returned  
home last week.

—Remember we have the  
Baptist Church to try. One  
price cannot be beaten. The  
only engraver. HICKMAN.

—Miss Sallie Evans, of Martin,  
Tenn., daughter of Rev. W. H.  
Evans, the evangelist, is attend-  
ing the big meeting.

—Up to date about 125 persons  
have been converted in the Evans  
revival and nearly all of them  
have joined some church.

—Writewashing is something  
very necessary to beautiful prom-  
ises, and this is the time of year  
to attend to this important duty.

—"No-suit" shirts never rip,  
always full size and extra long 50c  
to \$1.00. For sale only by  
SANDERS & RICE.

—Parents are not naming their  
daughters Mary any more, says  
an exchange. Why not Mary?  
All the Marys we know are all  
right.

—Miss Lizzie Gardner, of Hick-  
man, accompanied Mrs. Jodie  
Browder of this place, to Padu-  
tah last Sunday. The ladies re-  
turned Monday—Fulton train.

—Kerr, an expert Jeweler  
and Watchmaker from Chicago,  
will do first class work at HICK-  
MAN. Deep cuts. Come  
quick.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hickman,  
of Union City, Tenn., visited re-  
cently near Hickman Sunday. Mr.  
Hickman remained over to attend  
the Evans meeting this week.

—Miss Sallie Stone, daughter  
of ex-Congressman Stone, of Ken-  
tucky, and Mr. H. J. Shook, of  
this place, were married in the  
presence of the Court House in  
Louisville last week.

—Ladies' House in great variety  
of quality and price. Tans in all  
shades. Best values in black in  
ribbed and plain at 25c over  
above SANDERS & RICE.

—Ed. Rogers, the "Boy Preacher,"  
who has been holding series  
of meetings in Union City, will  
preach at Mr. Hickman church, on  
Broadway road, next Sunday at 11  
o'clock. Everybody invited.

—Never did the show windows  
of the dry goods stores in Hick-  
man present a more attractive ap-  
pearance than now. Spring goods  
have arrived and the window  
dressers have tried their best.

**FARMERS.**

—Best Guaranteed Barbed Wire  
\$2.15 per 100 lbs. at  
H. HUGHMAN'S.

—One of the best things John  
Jones ever said was: "The most  
beautiful sight in the world is to  
see a family gathered around a  
tablecloth, with the head of the  
household reading his paper—  
paid for in advance."

—A meeting of the Fulton  
County Teachers' Association will  
be held at 1:30 p. m., on Saturday  
March 20th, at the office of the  
County Superintendent. The  
teachers are especially requested  
to be present.

—Two calves owned by Van  
Buren, living in Fulton county,  
died Sunday. One of them was  
west and the other was killed.  
Two more died Sunday and a man  
on the farm of Met Lunsford,  
near there, the same day.—Clit-  
ton Democrat.

## THANKS

FOR YOUR APPRECIATION OF OUR EFFORTS TO PLEASE YOU. Many were the expressions of pleasure at sight of the beautiful things displayed this week, and seasons were kept busy going. We're sorry some ladies were disappointed in not getting a new Spring Gown at our Special Sale, but we couldn't anticipate such a rush. But we've more coming, and in the meantime wouldn't it be well to select a nice Wash Dress before they're all gone?

### This Week's Sale,

Commencing TO-DAY, will be bright with interest for every woman, miss and child that wears a Wash Fabric Dress in summer. This advance sale of Wash Goods is the talk of the town. We've made unusual efforts to make more attractive than ever. Style, Coloring, Quality, Price—these big items have had every consideration, and you yourself will say it is a lovely sight when you see our tables and counters piled full of these lovely fabrics.

<b>Resille Cloth.</b> Beautiful Patterns, in light and dark shades. 6c	<b>Dimities</b> Lovelier than ever, and having none of its popularity. This season only 15c.	<b>Sherwood Gingham.</b> The greatest bargain offered this season, small checks and stripes, pretty plaids and solids, Zephyr styles and only 6c.	<b>Silk Taffeta Gingham.</b> The loveliest thing imaginable for Shirt Waists and Dresses. 15c.
<b>Crepes Grenadine.</b> Lovely Fabricous going fast. In light Green, in Cerise, in Blue. Very wide and Only 12 1/2c	<b>Duck Suiting</b> In dots and stripes, on red, on blue, on white, on tan, on black. Nothing more popular this season. 10c.	<b>Manchester PLISSE.</b> The loveliest of all. We wish we could describe it, but it's impossible. Don't fail to see it. 25c.	<b>Pereales.</b> Never has there been such a pretty line of Styles in these goods, and we show a very large lot of them at 8 1/2, 10, 12 1/2 and 15.
<b>Pongees.</b> The most popular Wash Fabric sold last season, and prettier than ever this year. They come in Green, in Tan, in Blacks with Green, with Cerise, with Yellow figure. 12 1/2c.	<b>Piques.</b> Dots and dashes, stripes and splashes, on every shade in the catalogue. A beautiful fabric and so serviceable. 15c.	<b>Crepons.</b> In Blue, Pink, White, Cream, Red, Blacks. 12 1/2c.	<b>Shirred Effects</b> In Gingham 10c.

It would be impossible to mention all the lovely things. We are showing everything that is new.

### Wool Dress Goods.

Some very pretty Novelties, with all the latest things in Trimmings.

### Black Goods.

Never have we shown such a line of Black Goods. In Wash Goods, in Wool Goods, in Silks, our line is very complete.

### Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons.

In profusion.

### Ladies Shirt Waists.

We have them ready-made in a great variety of patterns at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, &c.

### Ladies Silk Scarfs.

To wear with Shirt Waists, in all colors, Blue, Pink, Red, Cream, Green, &c, in checks, stripes and solids, only 25c

### THIS WEEK

We shall continue our sale of Farmers' Choice Domestic at 50c, and Fruit of Loom at 65c, or as long as it lasts.

Best Prints, 5c. Apron Checks 5c. Heavy Shirtings 7 1/2c. Cottons for Prints, 10c. Wide Sheetings, 15c. Linen Crash, 5c. Turkey Red Table Linen 20c

Smith, Ellison & Co.

## New Spring Goods!

My NEW SPRING STOCK is now arriving daily, and I invite everybody to call and compare Quality, Style and Price. Come and see some of the Finest and Best Goods at LESS PRICE than ever offered in this country.

H. C. AMBERG.

## For the Farmers. SEEDS AND HARNESS.

Clover, Timothy, Oats, Red Top and Orchard Grass, New Garden Seeds. Full line of Harness and Saddles. Try our Two Pointed Barbed Wire runs a full rod to the pound.

Alfred McDaniel.

### HERE ARE BARGAINS.

Secure Them While They Last.

25 lbs. Southern Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
30 lbs. Clarified Sugar	1.00
30 lbs. New Orleans Brown Sugar	1.00
5 Packages Good Roast Coffee	1.00
4 Packages Arbuckle Coffee	.90
4 Packages XXX Coffee	.90
Best New Orleans Molasses	.40c
Choice New Orleans Molasses	.40c
Best Linnex Soap	.25c
Good Soda Crackers per pound	.50
Full Cream Cheese	.50
2 lb. Can Corn	.50
3 lb. Can Tomatoes; 10c 3 for	.50
3 lb. Can Apples 10c 3 for	.50

W. S. ELLISON.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE COURIER, ONLY \$1.00 PER YEAR.

## BALTZER & SHAW.

## All Ready for Spring!

### The Latest and Most Stylish Goods on the Market!

### Read the Following Prices:

Our Staple Department.	Special Notice.	Money Saved
Hoosier yard wide Brown Domestic	Our line of Silks for Shirt Waists leads all competition in quality and low prices.	In your wearing apparel should be of interest to you, the value of our offering is
Fig. China Silks	Fig. China Silks, 25c	
Wash Silks	Wash Silks, 35 and 40c	
Taffeta Silks	Taffeta Silks, 50, 75 and 90c	
Shirting Prints		
Dress Gingham		
Good Heavy Bed Ticking		
Carpet Warp per pound		
Heavy Cotton Checks		
Good Machine Thread two spools		
Wash Goods.	Fine Shoes.	Ladies.
Every one says we have the prettiest and cheapest in town.	We carry the choicest as well as the best wearing line of Men's Fine Shoes sold in Hickman. We have them in Russian and Black, Lace and Congress \$2.50 to \$5.00	We show the newest style in Ladies Low Cut Shoes. For strident fit they have no competition. Come and look at them. In Black and Tan all last \$1.00 to \$3.00.

### BAPTIST MEETING.

On Monday night after the 1st Sunday in April, Bro W. J. Consh of Trenton, Ky., will be here to commence a series of meetings. Bro. Consh is an able gospel minister, and we expect a good meeting. Everybody invited.  
WM. D. NOWLIN.

A Recommendation from Los Angeles  
GEO. COOPER, Jr., Los Angeles, CAL.:  
"I have known Bro. Consh for a long time, and know him to be a man of great piety, without claiming any special gifts, and I have seen him in the exercise of his ministry, and was always immediately relieved. I highly recommend him to the brethren."  
J. M. HAMILTON, Forestry by T. T. SWANEY, Druggist.

### CARD OF THANKS.

Bro. Consh—Allow me, through your paper, to express my heartfelt thanks to the good sisters of Hickman, for their prompt assistance in saving my household goods on the occasion of the burning of my house, and also to those who so generously contributed money for my relief.  
Respectfully,  
Jas. Bash Bash.

—Jake Winston, one of the most popular colored men in this section, died at his home in this city Thursday morning. Every man, woman and child in this city white and black, knew Jake. He was for years a leader among those of his race, and was a man of more than average intelligence. His death is universally regretted.

### SUITS MADE TO ORDER

At ready made prices. 4 new Sample Suits. Out nothing if you don't get a good fit. See our \$4.00 and \$5.00 Suit Samples. SANDERS & RICE.

—Fire was discovered in the building occupied by White & Russell (grocery store on Tennessee side) last Saturday morning about 4 o'clock. The entire stock was destroyed entirely, together with the building. Mark Campbell's saloon is an adjoining room suffered considerable loss. All the property was insured except Campbell's stock.—Fulton Guard.

### Spring Opening!

—Fire, Bonnets and Flowers galore—are on display next week. The ladies are hereby cordially invited to call and examine our stock which they will find replete with rich, rare and beautiful Novelties—Thursday, Friday and Saturday—both day and night. Respectfully ADRIAN L. JONES.

### Revival Services.

Union Prayer Service 9:30 a. m. at the Methodist Church every day.  
—Freshing in the City Hall at 2:30 and 5 p. m. every day next Tuesday night, when the Revival Effort will close.  
—Saturday night will be given to "The Relation of the Whisky Traffic to the Church and State and to Hickman in particular." You are invited to Christ and to the Revival.

SHOES SHOES SHOES SHOES SHOES SHOES SHOES

"The sweetest love; but oh, how bitter!"  
To have a girl whose shoes don't fit her.  
We guarantee this to happen more.  
If the shoes are bought at the Last Shoe Store.

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**WE ARE STILL HARPING ON**

**LADIES' TIRE LOW-CUT SHOES.**

**\$1.50**  
Boys' solid, substantial, easy-fitting, Common Sense and Spring Heel Oxford, that are a boon to run-cured feet. All styles are shown in the \$1.50 line.

**\$1.75**  
Equal in style to any \$2.00 or \$2.50 Low Shoes shown in Hickman. Just see them. They speak for themselves.

**\$2.00, 2.25, 2.50 and 3.00**  
Represent prices in the High Grade Summer Shoes we are offering. When cheap Oxford are desired, we show them as low as 40c a pair.

**SANDERS & RICE.**

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—Rev. T. J. McGill, of Martin, Tenn., one of the best known Methodist ministers in West Tennessee, was in the city Monday and attended the big meeting at the City Hall. Mr. McGill has a good voice, is a fine singer, and always adds interest to the service.

**Stoves, Tinware**  
and Shell Hardware, of all kinds, go to  
W. R. ELLISON'S.

—A new noise maker is now on the market. It is called the "Gardline" whistle. Most any kind of a noise, from that of a Thomas cat to a snoring man, can be made with it. It is of such a nature as to make one's blood run cold and hair stand on end when heard at night for the first time.

—A modern philosopher says there are two things entirely lacking in the range of his comprehension. One is why foot-ball is called play and shoring sand is called work, and why a man will fight if you kick his dog but cheerfully let his wife carry it in the coat and water.

—An extension party, consisting of Mr. Jas. T. Stevens and wife, Mrs. C. C. Smith, Mrs. Anna Wells and Mrs. Dr. led Tuesday night on the steamer City of Mouse for a trip to New Orleans. The party will return on the City of Hickman, and will be absent about two weeks.

**MILINERY.**  
Miss Anna Kuerer has been in the markets for the past two weeks selecting her Spring Stock of Millinery Goods. These will be in and ready for inspection by the first of next week, and we can promise you a feast in this department.

—BETH, ELLISON & CO.

—Capt. D. A. James, of Jackson, Tenn., who has been assisting Rev. Evans in conducting the revival services at the City Hall, returned home Monday, much to the regret of those interested in the meeting. He is an earnest christian worker, and made many friends during his short stay with us.

The Ladies are respectfully invited to call and examine our Goods. We guarantee our Prices to be as low as any, consistent with quality and style of Goods. Come at once!

Baltzer & Shaw.

